

## QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT

**WHYY-TV**

**FOR THE PERIOD OF APRIL 1st, 2012 THROUGH JUNE 30th, 2012**

The license of station WHYY-TV has determined that the following issues were of importance to the Delaware Valley community during the past three months and has aired the following programs to address these issues:

## 1.ARTS AND CULTURE

## On Canvas

4/19/12 10:00 pm 30 minutes

A weekly performance and interview series showcasing Greater Philadelphia's diverse music scene, *On Canvas* continues its fifth season with an episode spotlighting Keb' Mo', a three-time Grammy Award winner for Best Contemporary Blues Album who infuses R&B, American folk, gospel, rock, jazz and blues into a sound that is uniquely his own

*Oscar Hammerstein II – Out of My Dreams*

5/31/12 9:00 pm 60 Minutes

Hosted by Matthew Morrison, this one-hour special film celebrates the life and legacy of acclaimed lyricist-librettist Oscar Hammerstien II. With remarks from Stephen Sondheim, Harold Prince, Shirley Jones, Mitzi Gaynor and Hammerstein family members, discover how Hammerstein revolutionized the American musical.

## American Masters: “Judy Garland, By Myself”

6/22/12 9:00 p.m. 60 minutes

Revisit the life and career of the beloved but troubled actress and singer Judy Garland. Narration by Isabel Keating and Garland's own words, originally recorded for an unpublished biography, weave the story of her short but prolific life.

## 2. ECONOMY

*Frontline: Money, Power and Wallstreet*

4/24/12 10:00 p.m. 60 Minutes

FRONTLINE tells the inside story of the global financial crisis.

*America Revealed: Made in the USA*

5/2/12                      10:00 pm                      60 Minutes

*America Revealed* explores the hidden patterns and rhythms that make America work. In this episode, you'll re-evaluate your perceptions of the American manufacturing machine as host Yul Kwon introduces you to the men and women who are changing the system from the inside-out.

*Civilization: The West and the Rest with Niall Ferguson*

5/22/12                      8:00 pm                      120 Minutes

Examine the rise of the West's economic ascendancy based on Niall Ferguson's six principles of prosperity: competition, science, modern medicine, democracy, consumerism and work ethic. The programs are adapted from Ferguson's book, *Civilization: The West and the Rest*.

**3. ENVIRONMENT**

*America Revealed: Electric Nation*

4/25/12                      10:00 p.m.                      60 Minutes

Our modern electric power grid has been called the biggest and most complex machine in the world. But even though the grid touches almost every aspect of our lives, it's a system we know very little about. Host Yul Kwon travels around the country to understand the intricacies, vulnerabilities and remarkable ingenuity required to keep the electricity on every day of the year.

*Shelter Me*

5/23/12                      10:00 p.m.                      60 Minutes

Hosted by actress Katherine Heigl, this program celebrates the human-animal bond with positive, uplifting stories about shelter pets and their new homes. *Shelter Me* focuses on the success stories to bring more people into the shelters to give these animals a second chance.

*Inside Natures Giants: Giant Squid*

6/20/12                      10:00 p.m.                      60 Minutes

In *Giant Squid*, the team travels to New Zealand to join other experts to dissect a rare giant squid. They learn that it has a razor sharp beak, teeth on its tentacles and tongue, a throat that dives through the middle of its brain and three hearts that power blue blood through a muscle filled jet-propulsion cloak. The team piece together the puzzle of how giant squid hunt, how they jet through the water, how their quick-fire beak pulverizes food, why they have such enormous eyes and how they reproduce.

#### **4. HEALTHCARE AND SCIENCE**

##### *NOVA: Hunting the Elements*

4/4/12                              9:00 pm                              60 Minutes

Where do nature's building blocks come from? Why are some elements such as platinum or gold inert while others such as phosphorus or potassium are violently explosive? In this two-hour special, David Pogue, the lively host of *NOVA*'s popular "Making Stuff" series, spins viewers through the world of weird, extreme chemistry: the strongest acids, the deadliest poisons, the universe's most abundant elements and the rarest of the rare.

##### *Nova: Smartest Machine on Earth*

5/2/12                              9:00 pm                              60 Minutes

"Watson," an IBM computing system, is gearing up for a first-of-its-kind challenge—taking on human contestants on the game show *Jeopardy!* With a brain the size of 2,400 home computers and a database of about 10 million documents, will Watson be able to compute its way to victory? Win or lose, the difficulty of mimicking the human thought process with software is showing artificial-intelligence researchers that there's more than one way to be "intelligent."

##### *Frontline: Dollars and Dentists*

6/26/12                              10:00 pm                              60 Minutes

For the many who are denied dental care due to their economic situation, America's broken safety net does little to get them the care that they need. Correspondent Miles O'Brien and *Frontline* delve into the scarcity of dentists who accept Medicaid, why so many Americans are forced to go without life-saving dental care and what can be done to correct it.

#### **5. POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT**

##### *First*

4/27/12                              5:30 pm                              30 minutes

Republican voters in Delaware, New Castle County Council President Tom Kovach, Dick Polman, the future of civil unions, caring for those with dementia, barbershop music

*American Experience: Bill Clinton*

5/8/12

8:00 pm

60 Minutes

*American Experience*, TV's most-watched history series and a recent Peabody Award winner, presents the biography of Bill Clinton, the president who rose from a broken childhood in Arkansas to become one of the most successful, complex and conflicted politicians in modern American history.

*A Conversation with the Governor*

5/25/12

5:00 pm

60 Minutes

*Radio Times* host Marty Moss-Coane interviews Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Corbett on his 2012-13 budget proposal, proposed cuts for state-owned and -operated universities, Pennsylvania's new voter ID law, his support for Mitt Romney and other topics.